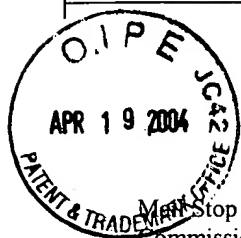


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April 19, 2004

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Commissioner For Patents  
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Re: Applicant: James A. Moorner  
Title: CD Playback Augmentation for Higher Resolution and Multi-Channel Sound (as amended)  
Application No.: 09/505,556 Filing Date: February 17, 2000  
Examiner: Patel, Gautam Group Art Unit: 2655  
Docket No.: SONC.003US0 Conf. No.: 6818

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) Petition for Extension of Time (1 page);
- (4) Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (1 page);
- (5) Amendment (15 pages); and
- (6) Check for \$880.00.



No additional fee is required.



The fee has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Additional <u>Fee</u>	
Total Claims	72	Minus	109	=	0	x \$18.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	7	Minus	13	=	0	x \$86.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of ____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application						\$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Continued Examination (RCE)						\$	770.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Petition for Extension of Time						\$	110.00
<b>Total:</b>							\$	880.00



Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.



Please charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502664.

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Respectfully submitted,

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